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Commission No. 3476

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Mr. J. E. Curry
Chief of Police
Dallas, Texas

Subject: Papers found in Jack Ruby's car

Sir:

I contacted Mr. Leo Navarro, 1523 Claude, who owns the Navarro Garage at 315 South Ervay(?) Drive. He stated he had never met Mr. Ruby, but that a friend of his, a Mr. V. E. Moralli, had given Ruby his name and the address of his garage when Ruby asked Moralli where he could find a good mechanic. Ruby never brought his car to Navarro for repair work.

Mr. V. E. Moralli, 715 West Pembroke, WH 2-[illegible], states that Jack Ruby traded at his Texaco Service Station at Ewing and Clarendon for about one year. However, he did not know Ruby very well. He gave Ruby a card with Leo Navarro's address on it when Jack asked him where he could find an honest mechanic. Moralli never did see Ruby with anyone that fit Oswald's description.

Donnell D. Whitter worked at Moralli's Service Station and took care of Ruby's work for him. Moralli states he does not know if they were friends or had relations other than that of customer and station attendant or not. Whitter was arrested November 1[illegible], 1963 for burglary of National Guard Armory in Terrell, Texas. I understand that he has been convicted of this burglary in Federal Court.

Mr. R. J. Wilson, 3000 [illegible], [illegible] 1-71[illegible]1 was contacted. He stated that he knew Jack Ruby when he ran the Silver Spur in 1[illegible]. He met Jack about two weeks prior to November 22 in the Merchants State Bank. They greeted each other and Jack asked Wilson what he was doing for a living. Mr. Wilson gave Ruby his business card and told him to come to see him. Mr. Wilson states that to his knowledge Ruby was never in his place.

The Texaco Service Station at 8th and Thornton Freeway was purchased by [illegible] J. Howard on the 15th of March, 1964 from Mr. E. [illegible] Harris. Mr. Howard does not know where Mr. Harris could be contacted.

Respectfully

C. L. Cunningham
Lieutenant of Police
Forgery Bureau

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